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THE FILLY GAZETTE

Thanksgiving Edition



November 2019

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Khalilah Campbell-Rhone, Principal

On behalf of the faculty and staff, I would like to welcome you to the website for Worthing High School. Worthing has a history of academic accomplishments coupled with a unique campus atmosphere, in a community surrounded by Sunny Side pride. We, the faculty and staff of Worthing, commit to advance our students



academically, intellectually, and socially to prepare them for leadership in an ever-changing global society. We encourage our students to take full advantage of every opportunity to look at the world through informed eyes and broaden their horizons, by actively embracing our school culture.

College Readiness

Worthing's College Center is committed to providing higher education access to 9th–12th grade students and works closely with campuses and district departments to create and maintain a college-bound culture throughout the school year. Starting the 1st Semester, students and parents are highly encouraged to take charge of their learning, connect with others about post-secondary education, and dive into preparing for college early. The College Center's staff aim is to help more students graduate from high school with the skills they need to enroll, succeed, and complete college.

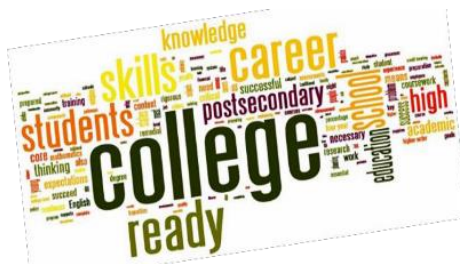


COLLEGE READINESS DEPARTMENT

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The 5th Annual DREAM Summit will be held on Saturday, December 7 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. This is an opportunity for HISD DREAMers, DACA (Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals) recipients, visa holders, permanent residents, refugees, and asylum grantees to apply for college and complete the financial aid process. The Summit will be held at the Hattie Mae White Education Support Center, 4400 W. 18th St., Houston 77092.

Students can begin completing FAFSA (Free Application for Student Aid) and TASFA (Texas Application for Financial Aid) until January 15, 2020. It's important to apply early to determine your financial aid needs for college. To apply you need your 2018 tax information, parent(s)/student's social security number, permanent resident card if applicable and parent(s)/student's date of birth. Parents with a FSA ID can transfer their tax information from the IRS. Log onto www.fafsa.ed.gov and www.collegeforalltexans.com for more information.

Foot Locker is awarding a \$20,000 scholarship to 20 students. Applications are due by 5:00 p.m., Friday, January 3, 2020. To apply log onto bit.ly/2OhAOWP.

The National Scholarship for DREAMers is now accepting applications. Eligible students must have a current DACA or TPS authorization or meet immigration requirements for TheDream.US. Applications will be accepted until February 27, 2020. For more information log onto bit.ly/2CPpJA1.



EVAN E. WORTHING HIGH SCHOOL

PTSA

PARENT TEACHER STUDENT ASSOCIATION

PTA OFFICERS NEEDED

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2019 @ 5:30 PM

During the meeting we will discuss election of officers, fundraisers, and other upcoming activities.

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND BUT WOULD LIKE MORE
INFORMATION CONTACT TRIVIA COBB AT 713-733-3433.

HOUSTONISD.ORG/WORTHING



We are excited to have Discover U back on campus. Discover U FLO advisors are on campus in the college access room weekly to assist students in applying for Fantastic Learning Opportunities (FLO) out-of-school (i.e. during the summer) programs. Students can choose a FLO based on their interest and abilities. Some FLOs are free and others may require tuition and/or travel fees that range from \$50 to \$3000. Scholarships to participate in FLOs are available based on student needs. See the attached flyer or log onto www.discoverus.org for more information.

Project: Change



Project: Change encourages youth to imagine and build a more sustainable world, one community at a time. Because that's what changemakers do. They use their compassion to understand the challenges others face, and help create new ways to face those challenges, together. They are not lone heroes. Changemakers are collaborators, friends, and allies. They work with communities, not for them. They empower everyone to be a changemaker. In this changemaking spirit, 8th to 12th grade students are invited to propose a project idea that works toward one (or a few) of the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals in a relevant country in the AFS Global Prep network.

International
Travel

Volunteering
Opportunity

DISCOVER U
FANTASTIC LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 15, 2020

PRICE RANGE: FREE!

PROGRAM DETAILS

GPA REQUIREMENT: >3.0 ELIGIBLE GRADE LEVELS: 9, 10, 11, 12

COST: FREE!

DATES: Dates vary by location

LOCATION(S): Argentina, Brazil, Costa Rica, Hungary, Ireland, Kenya, New Zealand

TRAVEL REQUIREMENT: International air travel w/out chaperone

NOTES: All submissions will be reviewed by a judges panel

APPLICATION MATERIALS

- ☐ Essays
- ☐ Project proposal for a service project in a Global Prep country

NOTES: Students must be United States citizens

The one grand prize winner will receive a full scholarship and two runners-up will receive partial scholarships for the AFS Project: Change Trip, a supplemented AFS Global Prep trip abroad to the country addressed in the grand prize winner's proposal. While the proposed project will not be implemented, it will be shared and assessed with community partners in country on the trip. Trip participants will learn principles and practices of international development and changemaking, workshop the winning proposal with community partners in country, and cultivate their global competence through intercultural exchange.



Find out more and apply at www.studentflos.com

The Experiment Leadership Institute



The Experiment Leadership Institute offers six-week programs primarily based in South Africa & Mozambique and India & Nepal, specifically focused on leadership development. These programs foster discussion on critical global issues such as worldwide health, human rights, and social change. The Experiment Leadership Institute promotes understanding of these and other global issues, and provides participants with an opportunity to see what communities are doing to address these challenges. The Experiment Leadership Institute programs are carefully designed to provide participants with the extraordinary opportunity to acquire key skills and intercultural competencies necessary to become effective leaders. Peace, Politics, & Human Rights.

International
Travel

Volunteering
Opportunity

Highly
Selective

DISCOVER U
FANTASTIC LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 15, 2020

PRICE RANGE: FREE!

PROGRAM DETAILS

GPA REQUIREMENT: N/A ELIGIBLE GRADE LEVELS: 11

COST: FREE!

DATES: June 30 to August 3, 2020

LOCATION(S): Washington, DC, India and Vermont

TRAVEL REQUIREMENT: International air travel w/a chaperone

NOTES: You will conduct a service project in your home community following your summer experience

APPLICATION MATERIALS

- ☐ Essays
- ☐ Transcripts
- ☐ Letters of Recommendation

NOTES: Students must be United States citizens

Program Components: Intensive four-day Leadership Seminar in Washington, D.C. Based on a powerful experiential leadership curriculum, the Leadership Seminar includes training, workshops, field trips, group exercises, and discussions with political and NGO leaders. Four-week immersive program in India: Four days of project planning sessions at the School for International Training in Brattleboro, Vermont; Participants have workshops and brainstorming sessions on designing a post-program project; Post-program project to be implemented in participants' home communities.

Find out more and apply at www.studentflos.com

MD Anderson High School Summer Program



This six-week exploratory program is for college-bound students that have recently graduated from a Texas high school. Participants experience various laboratory techniques, learn about the research process, and explore the fields of Clinical Laboratory Science, Cytogenetic Technology, Cytotechnology, Diagnostic Imaging, Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Histotechnology, Medical Dosimetry, Molecular Genetic Technology and Radiation Therapy. Throughout the program, participants are introduced to the variety of professional and graduate academic career paths associated with the Bachelor of Science programs in the School of Health Professions.

Medicine
THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS
MD Anderson
Cancer Center

DISCOVER U
FANTASTIC LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 16, 2020

PRICE RANGE: PAID!

PROGRAM DETAILS

GPA REQUIREMENT: N/A ELIGIBLE GRADE LEVELS: 12

COST: PAID!

DATES: June 8 - July 24, 2020

LOCATION(S): MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston

TRAVEL REQUIREMENT: Local Transportation Required

NOTES: At the conclusion of the program, participants will share their experiences during a presentation and a celebration luncheon.

APPLICATION MATERIALS

- ☐ Application
- ☐ CV (Resume)
- ☐ Personal Statement
- ☐ 2 Letters of Recommendation
- ☐ Transcript

NOTES: Applicants must be accepted into a college or university during the Fall 2020 semester

All participants must secure their own housing for the duration of the program. Participants in the program receive a scholarship for the six-week period. This award is not a salary and is meant solely to subsidize cost of living expenses for students. The award is considered income and subject to all applicable taxes and fees.



Telluride Association Summer Program



Telluride Association Summer Program (TASP) is a six-week educational experience for high school juniors that offers challenges and rewards rarely encountered in secondary school or even college. Each program is designed to bring together young people from around the world who share a passion for learning. Telluride students, or TASPers, attend a seminar led by college and university scholars and participate in many other educational and social activities outside the classroom.

College
Immersion

Highly
Selective



DISCOVER U
FANTASTIC LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 13, 2020

PRICE RANGE: \$\$

PROGRAM DETAILS

GPA REQUIREMENT: N/A ELIGIBLE GRADE LEVELS: 11

COST: \$600 (travel cost only)

DATES: June 21 to August 1, 2020

LOCATION(S): Cornell University; University of Michigan; or University of Maryland, College Park

TRAVEL REQUIREMENT: Domestic air travel w/out a chaperone

NOTES: Ideal candidates are academically strong and open to new experiences

APPLICATION MATERIALS

- ☐ Essays
- ☐ Short Answer Questions
- ☐ Interview
- ☐ Letters of Recommendation
- ☐ Test Scores
- ☐ Transcript

NOTES: Telluride can assist with travel cost if needed

Choose from the following topics & locations:

Cornell I Program
Storytelling Across Genre: Writing for Personal and Political Change

Maryland Program
Education and Citizenship

Cornell II Program
Humor, Comedy, and the Politics of Identity

Michigan Program
Feminist Philosophies of Space, Time and Evolution: Untimely Politics



Find out more and apply at www.studentflos.com

DiscoverU Student Portal Access for HISD Students

DiscoverU's online portal is now available to ALL Houston ISD middle and high schoolers! The portal includes our comprehensive FLO Catalog, providing detailed information on hundreds of high-quality Fantastic Learning Opportunities, as well as planning and preparation tools to make the most of your experience. Follow the steps below to set up your account.

➔ www.discoverus.org ➔

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STUDENT LOGIN

The image shows the Student Login form. It has fields for "Username" and "Password". Below the password field is a blue "Sign Up" button, which is circled in red. There is also a "Remember me" checkbox and a "Forgot Your Password?" link.

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REGISTRATION

The image shows the Registration form. It has fields for "First Name", "Last Name", "Email", "Activation Code", "Create Password", and "Confirm Password". A red arrow points to the "Activation Code" field, which has a "GoingPlaces" label next to it.

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PERSONAL PROFILE

The image shows the Personal Profile form. It has a "School" dropdown menu, which is circled in red. Below it is a field for "If Other, please enter School Name" with a red arrow pointing to it. There is also a field for "Expected Year of High School Graduation" (set to 2019) and a "Student ID" field.

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PORTAL HOMEPAGE



VIDEO
TUTORIALS
UPLOADED
REGULARLY

Parental Engagement

Would you like to have more input and involvement into what goes on at Evan E. Worthing High School? Do you want to be an agent of change at Worthing? Being a member of the Parent Teacher Association (PTA) can help you achieve these goals!!!! PTA members consist of parents, guardians, community leaders, and school faculty members who help to oversee the needs and development of the school. We are hosting our first meeting on Thursday, November 14 from 5:30 pm to 7 pm. Additionally, stop by the Parent Center to introduce yourself and to learn about the activities planned for the year. We also offer translation services, computer labs, internet, VIPS registration, community resource guide, and so much more.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Parent meetings are held monthly and announced via social media, call outs, and flyers.

TRIVIA COBB, PARENT LIAISON Office: 713-733-3433



Parent Teacher Association

Parent Message

Dear Parents, Guardians, Teachers, Alumni, and Community Members,

Welcome back to an exciting 2019-2020 school year here at Evan E. Worthing High School! A great year of fun, success and victory! Congratulations! I look forward to include you as a new member of our Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA) which is set up to bridge between home, school, and community. 100% membership means everybody wins! Join PTA today!

The number one reason
why parents don't get
involved with their
children's school is because
they're not asked!
Please consider yourself asked!!!



Calling All Watch D.O.G.S. (Dads of Great Students)

The effects of fatherlessness can be felt in homes, schools, hospitals, and prisons. We want to have a positive impact in the lives of all our students. We are calling on the mighty men of Evan E. Worthing High School to touch every student. If you are a dad, uncle, brother, cousin, or concerned member of the community we need you on our campus.



VOLUNTEERS/COMMUNITY PARTNERS

We would like to thank all our volunteers and community partners who were called upon for various reasons to ensure the 2019-2020 school year was a success. Volunteerism over the past year has significantly increased. To ensure we exceed our goals for the upcoming academic year renew your VIPS status by going to www.houstonisd.org/VIPS. Contact Mrs. Cobb or Mrs. Jimenez if you have any questions or concerns.

#VolunteerTheWorthingWay



CLUBS/ORGANIZATIONS



Driven Off Positive Energy (DOPE) provides opportunities to allow our students to create positively driven art in the areas such as acting, comedy, dance, fashion, and so much more. The DOPE Movement always showcases positivity. Contact Mrs. Williams in Room 721A for more information.
<http://thedopemovement.net/>

We are excited to have The Evan E. Worthing High School Colts on Fire Robotics team. Students from the team along with those in the computer and technology class have an opportunity to become members of the National Technical Honor Society (NTHS). Students inducted into the NTHS must maintain a 3.0 GPA or higher. Members are recognized for their achievements in career and technical education. Students interested in participating should contact Mrs. Jolivet-Gronski.



The Hispanic Alliance for Career Enhancement (HACE) is a national non-profit dedicated to the employment, development, and advancement of current and aspiring Latino professionals. HACE will partner with local corporations such as Phillip 66, Conoco Phillips, Enbridge, Accenture and many more to bring professional development opportunities to our students. For more information contact Ms. Leon and Ms. McDaniel in Rooms 123 and 126.
<http://www.haceonline.org/about-us>



Hispanic Alliance for Career Enhancement

The Kappa League Program is a program for the educational, social, and occupational guidance of male students in grades 9th-12th. The young men of the Kappa League are mentored to make constructive contributions to their community and have volunteered in a variety of community activities. Contact Mr. Tigner for more information.

<http://www.natlkappaleague.org/index.php>

<https://www.facebook.com/houkappaleague/>



The National Honor Society is the premiere organization recognizing student achievement based on service, scholarship, leadership, and character. To become a member student must be in grades 10 to 12 with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher, participate in community service projects, demonstrate leadership, and display high character standards. Contact Mr. Nguyen if you feel that your student qualifies.

CAMPUS NEWS

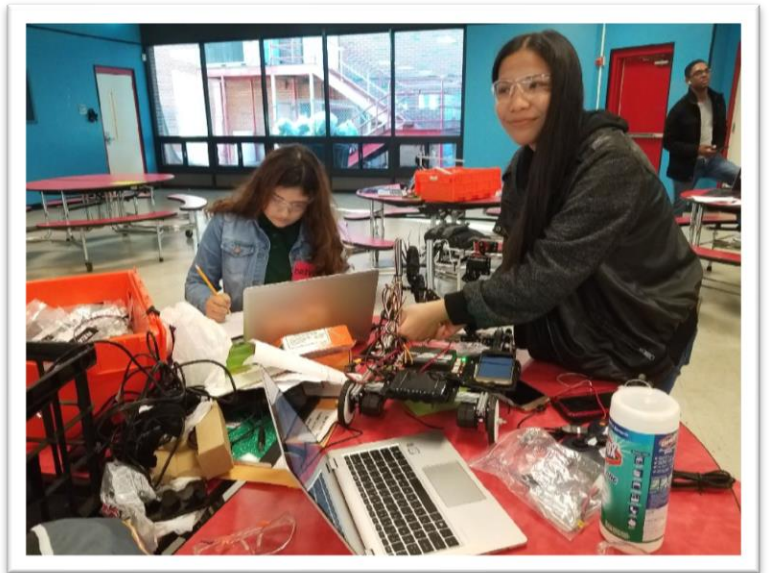
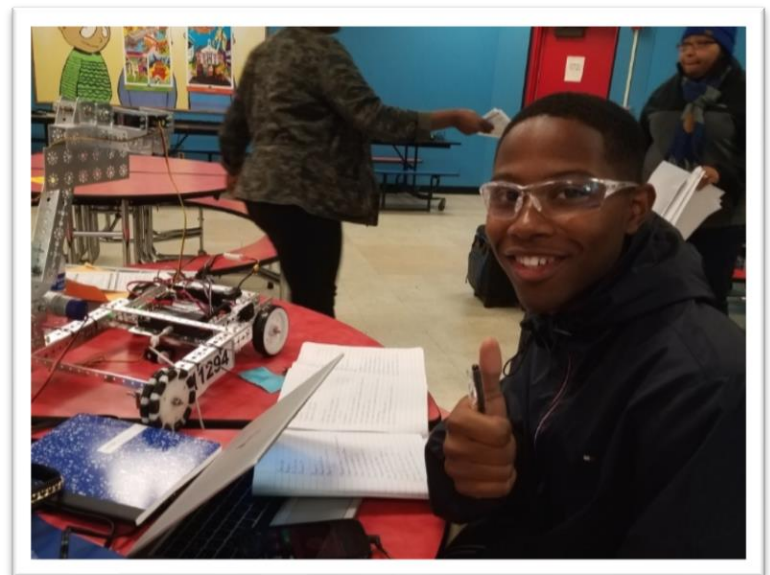
Robotics Club

Worthing Robotics Teams competed on November 2, 2019 against 27 teams.

Ruthless Robots placed 3rd, Jaylen Swifts' team

Fearless Colts placed 5th Evelyn Barron, Lizbeth Roman, Roman Mendez

MAPZ placed 8th Perla Zapata and My Nguyen



Future Colts

It is our mission to build a strong relationship with the school aged children in Sunnyside who attend the Worthing Feeder Pattern Schools. We will meet the emotional, social, and academic needs of these Future Colts through strong partnerships with parents and community members.

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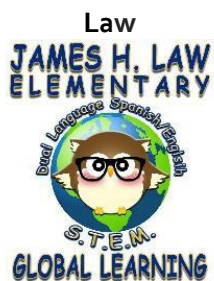
Woodson K-8



Attucks



Bastian



Reynolds



Young



SAVE THE DATE!

REMINDERS

NOVEMBER

15 – Report Card

16 – Serving Sunnyside

19 – Coffee and Conversation w/Dr. Campbell

20 – Parent Meeting

25 – 29 – Thanksgiving Break^{8th} – PTO Meeting



New email address? Have you moved recently or changed phone numbers? Stop by the attendance office to ensure your contact information is accurate.

Health Care Information

Open enrollment has begun for the Affordable Care Act also known as Obamacare. The enrollment period is Thursday, November 1 to Saturday, December 15. Log onto <https://www.healthcare.gov/> for more information. Also, take a moment to stop by the Baylor Teen Health Clinic on our campus.



Veterans Day

November 11th is Veterans Day. Veterans Day is the anniversary of the signing of the armistice, which ended the World War I hostilities between the Allied nations and Germany in 1918. We thank our Veterans for their services to the United States.

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